# WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2021

To either of the Constables of the Town of Stoneham in the County of Middlesex,

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Stoneham qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs to meet at **Stoneham High School, 149 Franklin Street, Stoneham,** on

## Monday, October 4, 2021, at 7:00 p.m.

to act upon the following articles of this Warrant:

**Article 1.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds, or borrow the sum of \$625,000 for capital projects, including all incidental and related costs, all as set forth below, or take any other action relative thereto.

Department	Amou	nt	FY22 Funded Projects (Bonding)	Funding Source
Public Works	\$ 100	0,000.00	Streets and Sidewalks	Free Cash
Police	\$ 70	0,000.00	Marked Vehicle	Free Cash
Facilities	\$ 455	5,000.00	Town Wide Building and Roof Improvements	Free Cash
Total	62!	5,000.00		

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Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate, borrow or transfer from available funds, an amount of money to be expended under the direction of the Stoneham School Building Committee for planning, designing, constructing, originally equipping and furnishing the New Stoneham High School located at 149 Franklin Street, Stoneham, Massachusetts, which school facility shall have an anticipated useful life as an educational facility for the instruction of school children of at least 50 years, and for which the Town may be eligible for a school construction grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority ("MSBA"). The Town acknowledges that the MSBA's grant program is a non-entitlement, discretionary program based on need, as determined by the MSBA, and any project costs the Town incurs in excess of any grant approved by and received from the MSBA shall be the sole responsibility of the Town. Any grant that the Town may receive from the MSBA for the Project shall not exceed the lesser of (1) fifty-five and one-tenth percent (55.10%) of eligible, approved project costs, as determined by the MSBA, or (2) the total maximum grant amount determined by the MSBA, or do anything in relation thereto.

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Article 3. To see if the Town will approve the \$317,422,620 borrowing authorized by the Northeast Metropolitan Regional Vocational School District Committee, for the purpose of paying costs of designing, engineering, constructing and equipping the New Northeast Metropolitan Regional Vocational School and related athletic facilities located at 100 Hemlock Road in Wakefield, MA 01880, including the payment of all costs incidental or related thereto (the "Project"), which school facility shall have an anticipated useful life as an educational facility for the instruction of school children of at least 50 years and for which the District may be eligible for a school construction grant from the Massachusetts School Building Authority ("MSBA"), said amount to be expended at the direction of Northeast Metropolitan Regional Vocational School Committee. The Town's estimated share of the District's debt for this purpose, exclusive of interest, and based upon current enrollments, is approximately \$19,823,427, which amount will be reduced to the extent of MSBA grants received by the District, resulting in an estimated net share of principal allocable to the Town, exclusive of interest, of approximately \$11,027,054. The MSBA's grant program is a non-entitlement, discretionary program based on need, as determined by the MSBA, and any Project costs the District incurs in excess of any grant approved by and received from the MSBA shall be the sole responsibility of the District and its member municipalities. Any grant that the District may receive from the MSBA for the Project shall not exceed the lesser of (1) seventy-six and eightyfour one hundredths percent (76.84%) of eligible, approved project costs, as determined by the MSBA, or (2) the total maximum grant amount determined by the MSBA; or take any other action relative thereto.

#### **Select Board**

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies in at least (10) public places in the Town fourteen (14) days at least before the time for holding said meeting and by causing an attested copy to be published in some newspaper in the town, the publication to be not less than three (3) days before said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of the Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place aforesaid.

Given unto our hands this 14th day of September in the year of our Lord two thousand twenty one.

Heidi Billio - Chair

George Seibold - Vice Chair

Dovid Pignone - Clerk

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Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Stoneham qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs of the within meeting by posting attested copies of the said Warrant in at least ten (10) public places in the Town on September 15th, and by publishing a duly attested copy of said Warrant in the Stoneham Independent on September 15, 2021.

A true copy. Attest:	
	Constable of Stoneham – David Luciano